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MSNA's President's Message

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This has been one of the most difficult bulletins to put together I have had to deal with in quite a while. So many things have been happening and yet it is difficult to put into words those events. There does seem to be a increase in the tempo of the coin shows. The Metropolitan Baltimore/Washington show of a couple of weeks ago was well attended (we would like to see much larger attendance, naturally); each of the B A N C shows seems to gain a little in overall quality and the Colonial Coin has now held their first show in Annapolis in many years. The ANA has retreated from sponsoring shows but is still "sanctioning" our 1995 convention. They aren't taking as active a role as they did in 1994, but they are still with us to some degree. We have dates reserved with the Convention Center thru 1998 for our annual conventions.

On a more personal level; I have been accumulating items that strike my fancy but have not been advancing any of my collections. That, of course, is a beautiful part of our hobby; we can collect items without having a specific collection to put them into. Then, at a later date, we can take portions of our accumulation and create an entirely new collection; for example Millard's set of tokens from towns that no longer exist; as shown elsewhere in this issue.

WHAT NEW COLLECTION HAVE YOU STARTED LATELY???

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

-14 May: BALTIMORE AREA NUMISMATIC COALITION. Owings Mills Fire Hall: I-795 to the Owings Mills exit: East to Reisterstown Road and you are there.

28-30 Jul: ATLANTIC RARITIES COIN EXPOSITION: The annual convention and show of the Maryland State Numismatic Association: Sanctioned by the ANA. Convention Center Charles and Pratt Streets Baltimore

-13 Aug: BANC at the Owings Mills Fire Hall

2- 3 Sep: Fall Show of the INTERSTATE COIN CLUB. Venice Ballroom. U S Route 40. East of Hagerstown

-15 Oct: Fall show of the ASSOCIATED COIN CLUBS. at the Victory Villa Community Center. Martin Blvd & Compass Road. Middle River

11-12 Nov: Fall Show of the Western Maryland Coin Club LaVale Fire Hall. Route 40. LaVale. West of Cumberland

-12 Nov: BANC at the Owings Mills Fire Hall

1996

-11 Feb: SALISBURY COIN CLUB. Wicomico Civic Center Civic & Glen Aves. Salisbury

2- 3 Mar: INTERSTATE COIN CLUB Spring Show. Venice Ball room. US Route 40. East of Hagerstown.

-10 Mar: ASSOCIATED COIN CLUB's Spring Show. Victory Villa Community Center. Middle River

PAUL FINCK
Cromwell Bridge
Holiday Inn

May 21	Jun 25	Jul 23
Aug 27	Sep 24	Oct 29
Nov 26	Dec 17	

FUTURE YEARS

INTERSTATE COIN CLUB

A31-1 Sep 96	1-2 Mar 97
6-7 Sep 97	Feb 28-1 Mar 98
5-6 Sep 98	6-7 Mar 99

MSNA

14-16 Jun 96	13-14 Jun 97
15-17 May 98	18-20 Jun 99

ASSOCIATED COIN CLUBS

27 Oct 96	9 Mar 97
26 Oct 97	8 Mar 98
25 Oct 98	13 Mar 99



MSNA SEMINARS

5 Nov 95	3 Nov 96
2 Nov 97	1 Nov 98

The Members of the Board of Directors of the Maryland State Numismatic Association met at the Grace United Methodist Church on Thursday, February 23, 1995 at 7:30 pm. In attendance were:

Bill Ayres - President	Bill Stratemeyer - Balto CC
Ernie Turnes - Vice Pres	Ed Craig - Maryland TAMS
Bill Sacks - Treasurer	Millard Hajek - Catonsville
Bryce Doxzon - Secretary	Walt Kitner - ARCE Exhibits
Bill Lenz - Harford Coin H.	Greg Ruby - BANC
Pete Burris - Past Pres.	Joe Mashinski - Belmar CC
Bobbie Vaughan - " "	Tom Palmer - Bowie Coin Cl
Jack Pryor - Past President	

A bourse table layout for the coming convention was displayed by Tom Palmer; it included dealer space reservations already set up by him. Table allotments for non-dealers (e.g. Coin World, Numismatic News) were discussed. Greg Ruby will carry a copy of the layout with him to the ANA Early Spring Convention in Atlanta to get more dealer commitments. More than 50 tables have been reserved to date.

Contracts have been sent to Paul Singleton and Bob Bruggeman to solicit bids for show security. Ruthann Brettell has not expressed any reservations with photo ID being handled in house.

The show banner, to be hung over Pratt Street, outside the convention center, has been designed and is to be ordered and paid for.

Art Decorator Company and Pete Burris are holding discussions with regards to the convention hall set up for the expo.

Bill Stratemeyer has sent out invitations for seminar speakers. The speaker's dinner has been set up at the Holiday Inn.

Don Curtis has accepted the position of registration chair.

Bryce Doxzon outlined several publicity strategies and took suggestions for other outlets from the other board members.

Ed Craig said that raffle tickets were on hand and that the prizes are yet to be purchased.

Exhibit applications will be mailed once they are updated. No details as yet on the awards breakfast; Steve Taylor may be asked to be the speaker.

The likelihood of the 1996 ARCE dates conflicting with John Highfill's Silver Dollar show in Las Vegas was discussed with alternate logistics for the the 1996 dates being mentioned but no action taken. Baltimore Convention Center available dates for 1997 and 1998 were also discussed.

The Board of Directors of the Maryland State Numismatic Association met on Thursday, 30 March, 1995, at 7:30 p.m. at the Grace United Methodist Church, Charles Street and Northern Parkway in Baltimore. In attendance were:

Bill Ayres - President	Tom Palmer - Bowie Coin Club
Bill Sacks - Treasurer	Don Curtis - Baltimore Coin C
Bryce Doxzon - Secretary	Walt Kitner - ARCE Exhibits
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Jack Pryor - Past Pres.	Paul Singleton - Security ARCE
Greg Ruby - Catonsville CC	

Copies of the bourse table-to-dealer allotment list were distributed by Tom Palmer who also made note of dealers who had not yet sent in contracts and/or payments for their tables. A Thursday (July 27th) "turkey night" will be held with \$25 per person admission going to charities designated by the MSNA. Dealer badges will have special markings valid for that night only. A drawing for a one-half of fee table for dealers who stay through Sunday, July 30th was discussed.

The security contract was awarded to Crabstate Security/TNT Services. They will use photo I.D. for all dealers, including those with table space on Sunday only.

New show advertising will run in the Central States Show issues of Coin World and Numismatic News. Bryce Doxaon iterated a short list of publicity outlets employed by the media buyer for the ANA and requested and received clarification as to the total budget allocated for publicity.

Letters are being sent to local clubs requesting registration desk help. Registrants will be polled about their knowledge of the Expo (how they heard about it). Instant door prizes may be awarded.

Bill Stratemeyer is awaiting responses from prospective speakers. The speaker's dinner will be held at the Holiday Inn; the Awards Breakfast will be held at the Convention Center.

Bill Lenz read a list of the groups that will have meetings during the convention; this list will be part of the publicity effort. Ed Craig will compile and make up an advertising display board.

A communications desk phone number is in place. In addition phone lines can be set up for dealers on the bourse floor.

Ed Craig said he had more raffle tickets available to distribute. A few hundred were sold at the Suburban Washington/Baltimore Coin Show held during March 24th thru 26th.

MSNA BOARD MEETING OF FEBRUARY 23rd

The merits of various candidates seeking nominations for the ANA Board of Governors were discussed.

A bag of elongateds from a previous show were given to the Belmar Coin Club for them to hand out as they promote National Coin Week.

MSNA Life Membership #31 was approved for Steve Taylor.

The next meeting was scheduled for 7:30 pm on March 30th, 1995 at the Grace United Methodist Church.

Respectfully submitted

Bryce T. Doxzon
Secretary

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MSNA BOARD MEETING OF MARCH 30th

Young Numismatists are being solicited to participate in the YN program and/or to serve as show pages. Page aprons are already on hand.

The 1995 show souvenir sheets have been printed; a copy was passed around for inspection.

The Pratt Street banner, announcing the show, will be in place from July 24 thru July 31. It is constructed so that the dates can be changed and the same banner used from year to year.

After some discussion on the date conflict with John Highfill's silver dollar show it was decided we would stick with the dates originally set for 1996; June 14 thru 16.

The next meeting was set for 7:00 pm, May 25 at the Church.

Respectfully submitted

Bryce T. Doxzon
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BALTIMORE COIN CLUB BANQUET



TOP: Left to right - Don Curtis, Secretary; Erika Curtis; Peg Turnes; Ernie Turnes, Vice President; and Mitzi Stratemeyer.



AT LEFT - Wayne McKim, our speaker of the evening and club president Bill Stratemeyer. Wayne, who has spent 8 of the last 32 years teaching in Africa, gave a slide presentation of the areas in which he traveled and worked.

BOTTOM: Bryce Doxzon, Secretary of the MSNA, who celebrated his birthday on this date, with Tom Valmer and Tom's daughter, Cindy.





Bill Ayres, President of the MSNA, visited the Belmar Coin Club to thank the members for their participation in the 1994 convention of the M S N A. The above picture shows those members of the club who spent time working at the show. From left to right are: Nick Kurlick, Don Curtis, Al Ciolfi, Bill Ayres, Charles Melchoir, Bill Stratmeyer and Ernie Turnes.

Mill Hajek has recently shown us another of those interesting sets that are to be found. This one is a group of twelve tokens from Maryland towns that no longer appear on the 1994 state highway map.

The Western Maryland Coin Club officers for 1995 are: President: Jim Weir; Vice President - Norman Growden; Secretary - Larry Arbogast; Treasurer - Dave Weir and Auctioneer - George Waingold.

From Ernie Turnes we have the following:

The Baltimore Coin Club held it's yearly election of officers at the March 2, 1995 meeting. Ernie Turnes was elected president, Don Curtis became Vice President. Joe Mashinski is the new treasurer and Tom Palmer is secretary.

Outgoing officers are Bill Stratmeyer, who has served as president for the last year, and Al Strati, who has served as treasurer for the last two years.

Baltimore Coin Club was founded in 1935 and incorporated in 1938.

I would like to add that Al Strati has served the Baltimore Coin Club for a number of years, which included a term as president. He stepped forward two years ago, when there was a need for treasurer & offered to fill the gap. We in the club greatly appreciate this and would like to make all our friends aware of it. Bill Ayres.



PERRY HALL COIN CLUB OFFICERS FOR 1995

To rear: Joe Adam - Secretary and Ed Craig - Vice President
 Front: Reds Glenn - President and Bob Lasseth - Treasurer

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	: Balto, MD, 21228	:
Carroll County Coin Club	:	: Baltimore Coin Club
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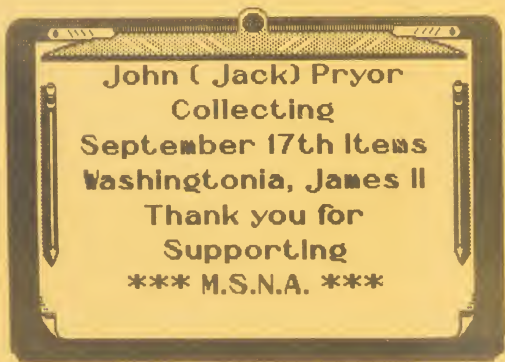
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MSNA's President's Message



Summer has definitely arrived: we now have lawns to mow, weeds to pull, chores to catch up on and vacations to enjoy; along with all of those other things which the season brings. For some that means the coins and collecting fade into the background - - for others it simply means cluttered calendars get worse. It's difficult for some of us to keep our minds on the growing grass when we know there's a coin show in the next county.

For me this summer brings to a close my term of office. In the early years of our association it was realized that the terms of the officers were better marked by our conventions rather than by calendars. The 1995 ARCE will mark the beginning for a new slate of officers.

Those submitted for election by the nominating committee, and who I feel certain will be elected, are a great bunch of dedicated workers who are interested in seeing our hobby advance.

On behalf of the membership I welcome these new officers and thank them for this dedication.

Bill

The Board of the Maryland State Numismatic Association met on Sunday May 14, 1995, at 2:00 pm at the Baltimore Area Numismatic Coalition Coin Show at the Owings Mills Fire Hall. In attendance were:

Bill Ayres - President	Don Curtis - Belmar Coin Club
Bryce Doxzon - Secretary	Greg Ruby - BANC
Joe Mashinski - Acting Treasurer	Bill Stratemeyer - Balto C C1
Jack Pryor - Past President	Ed Craig - Maryland TAMS
Bill Lenz - Harford Coin Huskers	Millard Hajek - Catonsville C
Tom Palmer - Bowie Coin Club	

One half of the bourse table resevation confirmations have been sent to dealers; the balance will be mailed this week. Over ninety bourse tables have been sold. Bourse Chairman, Tom Palmer, will visit the East Coast Expo in Secaucus, New Jersey, next weekend to sell bourse tables there. Greg Ruby will distribute contracts for the ARCE at the Paper Money Show in Memphis. Thirty tables have been held aside for Paul Cunningham's New Jersey Token and Medal Show.

Local coins clubs have been solicited for registration desk help; some of those positions are already being filled. Registrants will be asked how they heard of the show in order to gauge the effectiveness of our publicity. Stick-on badges will be given out to registrants for bourse admission; a different color badge will be issued to those attending the Thursday (July 27) night dealer set up (7-9 pm). Four hours work at the registration desk will get a volunteer's parking fee paid.

ANA President, David Ganz, and Jules Reiver are confirmed educational forum speakers. The awards breakfast speaker has not yet been determined. The speaker's dinner arrangements are set.

Tom Palmer and Bryce Doxzon are to collaborate to develop show information for the flier to be mailed before the show.

Arrangements for the YN program are incomplete.

Raffle ticket sales are very strong, especially with the sales boost generated at the Suburban Washington/Baltimore Show registration desk.

Ray Dillard is seeking a supply of 1995 cents for the ARCE elongated.

The 1996 ARCE dates will be June 14 thru 16.

Respectfully submitted

Bryce Doxzon

Bryce Doxzon
Secretary

SCHEDULE

ATLANTIC RARITIES COIN EXPOSITION

THURSDAY 27 July	6:00 pm	Dealer Registration Opens	Lobby
	7:00 pm	Special Bourse Opens **	
	9:00 pm	Dealer Registration & Show Closes	
FRIDAY 28 July	10:00 am	Bourse Opens to Public	
	6:00 pm	Bourse Closes to Publics	<u>ROOM NO</u>
SATURDAY 29 July	10:00 am	Bourse Opens to Public	
	10:00 am	Young Numismatist Program	306
	10:00 am	Middle Atlantic Numismatic Assoc	302
	11:00 am	Maryland Token & Medal Society	301
	1:00 pm	Colonial Coin Collectors Society	301
	1:00 pm	Original Hobo Nickel Society	302
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SUNDAY 30 July	9:00 am	AWARDS BREAKFAST OF THE MSNA	302
	10:00 am	Bourse Opens to Public	
	2:00 pm	Annual Meeting of the Membership of the MARYLAND STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION	306
	4:00 PM	Bourse Closes to Public	

**Special Bourse open to those wishing to donate \$25.00 to the MSNA for presentation to charity.

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS; CLUB MEETINGS HIGHLIGHTED AT THE ATLANTIC RARITIES COIN EXPOSITION

A wide array of educational and club activities await visitors to the Atlantic Rarities Coin Exposition (A R C E), to be held July 28-30, 1995 at the Baltimore Convention Center. Sanctioned by the American Numismatic Association; the ARCE will be held at the same downtown Baltimore site that hosted the 1985 and 1993 A N A conventions.

Several Club gatherings will fill the schedule of events on Saturday, July 29th. Meetings by the Maryland Token and Medal Society, Colonial Coin Collectors Club, Early American Coppers and the Original Hobo Nickel Society will occur at various times and locations throughout that day. A young numismatist program, to begin at 10:00 a.m. will be hosted by Larry Gentile.

The educational highlight of the A R C E will be the 4:00 p.m. forum on July 29th, with two distinguished hobby speakers on hand. Early American coinage authority, Jules Reiver, will present a talk on "Struck Copies of Early American Tokens." American Numismatic Association President, David Ganz, will speak about the Citizens Commemorative Coins Advisory Committee.

Besides the educational forum, young numismatist program and club meetings; many educational exhibits and over 100 dealers will be on hand during the show. The Atlantic Rarities Exposition is open to the public from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on July 28 and 29, and 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on July 30th. The next ARCE will occur at the Baltimore Convention Center on June 14-16, 1996.

by BRYCE DOXZON

SOME OF THE PEOPLE YOU NEED TO MEET DURING THIS CONVENTION



BILL FENZ
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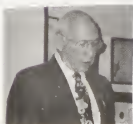
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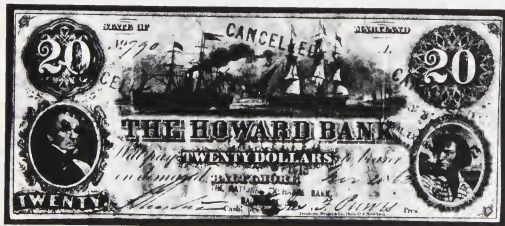


BILL STRATMEYER
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An ideal example of the transition from the old state charter system of banking to the federal system is provided by this unusual and attractive \$20 note issued by the Howard Bank in Baltimore on Nov. 2, 1863. Some 27 years after the note's issuance the bank converted to and became The National Howard Bank of Baltimore in 1890. Then in 1915, after another 25 years, the bank merged with The National Exchange Bank and the note was presented for redemption. It was duly handstamped CANCELLED MAY 3, 1915 THE NATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK, BALTIMORE, MD, and payment was made. Thus, 52 years and two name changes after first entering circulation, the note fulfilled its issuer's promise to "pay the bearer on demand" its face amount! Beautifully engraved by Danforth, Wright & Co. of Philadelphia and New York, the note's central vignette depicts a steam and a sailing vessel in New York harbor.

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511	American Silver Dollars	205,305/6	Heritage Rare Coin Galleries
817	ANACS	304	Imperial Coins
807	Astrich, Robert L.	704	Innarelli, Steve
300	Avena Rare Coin	210	International Coin
405	Bach's Coin Box	404	J.P. Coins
115	Baltimore Coin Club	208	J.W. Coins
709	Bay Coin & Stamp	309	JEL Coins
101	Berg, Gordon	601	Johnbrier, A.E.
616	Berman, Allen, Numismatist	204	Kagin's
203	Bianco, Mike	409	Karp, Jules
515	Birkler, Lucien	514	Kern, Jonathan
809	Bozarth, Vic Rare Coins	103	Keystone Coin & Stamp
200	California Coin Co.	814	Krause Publications
703	Claire's Corner	706	Laguna Beach Gold & Silver Xch.
310	Classic Coin Co.	602	Laibstain, Harry Rare Coins
507	Cline, J.H.	504	Lawrence, David Rare Coins
114	Coin World	613	LBP Numismatics
705	Commercial Coin Co.	710	Legend Numismatics
222-726	Cunningham, Paul	501	Leidman, Julian
308	Dart Coin Co.	707	Levin, Benjamin Rare Coins
402/3	Delaware Valley Rare Coins	212	Liberty Coins
116	Dillard, Ray	804	Liberty Rare Coins
517	Empire Coins	117	MANA
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502	Finck, Paul	608	McGuigan, Jim
612	Foster, Coleman	311	McMullin, C. W. /Davidson
509	Free State Numismatics	209	Mercury Numismatics
609	Gold Mart	802	Metro Coin Supply
603/4	Golden Eagle Coin & Jewelry	712	Mint & Print
		607	National Coin Investments
		803	National Currency Wholesalers
		201/2,301/2	National Gold Exchange
		206	Numismatic Consultants
		400	Numismatic Financial Corp.
		818	Numismatic Guaranty Corp. (NGC)
		701	Numismatics of Distinction
		805	Numismatics Unlimited
		510	Numisprop/Robert Rhue
		408	Oklahoma Federated Gold
		207	Park Avenue Numismatics
		312	Pennies & Postage
		708	Perakis, Alex Coins & Currency
		816	Professional Coin Grad Ser(PCGS)
		605	Pullen, Norman
		813	Renrob Coins
		617	Roses, The
		806	Royalty Coins Inc.
		415	Saslow, Dr. Arnold
		303	S.G. Rare Coins
		411	Schiller, Mike
		412	Schuch, John Rare Coins
		508	Scorpio Monetary Distributors
		407	Silvertowne
		418	Singer, Gordon A.
		503	Stack's
		810	Stagg, David C.
		406	Steinmetz C. & C.
		615	Teller, M. Louis Numismatics
		410	Terranova, Anthony
		401	Tiso, G.R. Numismatics
		413/513	Univox
		505/6	U. S. Coins
		815	U.S. Postal Service (USPS)
		606	Van Grover, J.J.

516 Waddell, Edward

801 Westwood Rare Coin

102 Winter, Douglas Numismatics

417 Zauche, Don & Marcella

CALENDER OF COMING EVENTS

-13 Aug: BALTIMORE AREA

NUMISMATIC COALITION, Owings Mills Fire Hall: I-795 to the Owings Mills exit: East to Reisterstown Road and you are there.

2- 3 Sep: Fall Show of the INTERSTATE COIN CLUB, Venice Ballroom, U S ROUTE 40, East of Hagerstown

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PAID UP LIFE MEMBERSHIP IN MARYLAND STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

A candidate for paid up life membership must have been a regular member of MSNA for at least three years and must, with his application, submit a one time fee in accordance with the schedule below:

Under 50 years of age	-	\$100.
50 to 65 years of age	-	\$ 60.
Over 65 years of age	-	\$ 35.

The HENRY WESTPHAL TROPHY FOR MEMBERSHIP is awarded to the member who brings the most new members into M S N A during any one show year.

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We have for sale a number of items from our previous shows. Send orders to: MSNA, Box 2, Fork, MD 21051.

MEDALS

1988	1 oz numbered silver	\$25.
1988	silvered bronze	\$ 3.
1988	antique bronze	\$ 3.

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1982 and 1985 thru 1995
\$3. ea or two for \$5.00

ELONGATEDS

Dimes from 1988 thru '95
\$1.00 ea
Cents from 1986 and 1988
thru 1995
\$.50 ea

\$1.00 postage & handling on all orders

OUR MEMBER CLUBS REPORT

The COLONIAL COIN CLUB held their first show in several years on the 8th of April. It was held at the West Annapolis Fire Hall with 10 tables and approximately 100 people in attendance.

Another first, of a different direction, comes from the WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB. They were forced to cancel their spring dinner for a lack of members available to attend. They do report that their spring show was a gala affair with a full house of dealers and many collectors in attendance.

PERRY HALL COIN CLUB has taken your editor to task for the picture of their officers in the last bulletin. The Vice President of the Perry Hall Coin Club for 1995 is ED ZEPP (and not that "other" Ed). To Ed and Ed; my apologies.

B.A.N.C. put on another good show at the Owings Mills Fire Hall; again not many dealers and not a great many customers/visitors but it was still a very enjoyable show.

Vaughan Horner wishes to remind us that the SALISBURY COIN CLUB meets the Third Wednesday of each month, at the American Legion Hall, Route 50 and Springfield Road, in Salisbury.



WELCOME TO MEMBERSHIP

We welcome the following new members:

- 680 Richard G. Mackereth
- 681 David I. Otto
- 682 Stan D. Goldsborough
- 683 Gary Ruby
- 684 John M. Koenig, Sr
- 685 Dave Thaxter, Jr.

We also accepted as Life Member Number 31: Stephen R. Taylor. Steve, who formerly held membership number 238, is a past vice president of MSNA and a past president of the ANA. Steve is a long time member of the Kent Coin Club.

As we welcome the new we also mourn the lost. James W. Martz, Jr., Life Member No. 18 passed away on May 15, 1995. Jimmy, a long time member of the Perry Hall Coin Club, was originally #180 in the MSNA.

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I hereby apply for membership in the Maryland State Numismatic Association, subject to it's constitution and by-laws.

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Signature _____

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Fee of \$10 (club membership) or \$5 (individual membership)
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Send to: Maryland State Numismatic Association
W. D. Sacks, Sr. - Treasurer
1106 Hollen Road
Baltimore, MD 21239 1714

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Each member club of MSNA SHALL appoint a representative who will serve on the board and will exercise the club's vote on any matter arising

PAST PRESIDENTS

Bill Ayres

Jack Pryor

Bobbie Vaughan

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



The M. S. N. A. gavel has again been passed to a new president. I consider myself fortunate to be that person. Fortunate because our Association has many individuals and clubs that are willing to work to promote, support, and advance the hobby. The success of our 23rd annual convention and show in late July is the evidence of what a good group we have.

Since most members don't know me, I will take a little of this space to introduce myself. Compared to most MSNA members I'm a novice, having only been a collector for about 10 years. I quickly realized that the best way to learn and contribute to the hobby was to join a club. My memberships include Baltimore Coin Club, MD TAMS, and Bel Mar Coin Club. Through these clubs I've made many good friends.

I say this to encourage anyone who does not belong to a club to join one and to stay active. It takes some work, but can be a lot of fun and very satisfying.

Hope to see you soon.

Ernie Turnes

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MARYLAND STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION, INC

Post Office Box 6533, Sparrows Point, Md. 21219

Dedicated to attaining knowledge and fulfillment in Numismatics

The Board of Directors of Maryland State Numismatic Association met on Thursday, August 24th, at 7:30 pm at Grace United Methodist Church; Charles Street and Northern Parkway, Baltimore. In attendance were:

Ernie Turnes - President
Bill Stratemeyer -V Pres
Bryce Doxzon - Secretary
Joe Mashinski -Treasurer
Bill Ayres - Past Pres.
Jack Pryor - Past Pres.
Pete Burris - Har Coin H
Bill Lenz - Balto Coin Cl

Ed Craig - Maryland TAMS
Don Curtis - Belmar Coin Cl
Millard Hajek - Catonsville
Walt Kitner - Baltimore C C
Sylvan Richter - Balto C C
Lois Richter-- Balto CoinC
-- Tom Palmer - Bowie Coin Cl
-- Greg Ruby - Catonsville C C

Secretary Doxzon read the minutes of the July 30th annual membership meeting. Treasurer Mashinski read a list of the major show expenses already paid; Bill Lenz said that some other bills are yet to be received.

A brief discussion about the Fall Seminar involved holding it October 15th (Associated Coin Clubs Show) or on December 9th or 10th (Gordon Berg's show). A majority opinion favored the October 15th date.

There was some discussion about the best location for the ARCE advertising display board; Ed Craig received praise for it's construction.

Bill Lenz read a portion of the August 15 Numismatic News article about the Atlantic Rarities Coin Expo and commented on the favorable publicity surrounding the show.

Publicity Chairman, Bryce Doxzon, voiced his considerable satisfaction with the publicity campaign undertaken this year & said that he has a lot of his correspondence saved on disk for easy re-use next year.

Minutes - Board Meeting of 24 Aug 95 - continued

Bourse Chairman, Tom Palmer, reported that several signed contracts for the 1996 ARCE were already in hand & that he was aggressively pursuing bourse payment from one dealer who reserved table space but didn't show. He also noted that the grapevine talk at the A N A Convention was very favorable about this year's ARCE.

Millard Hajek commented on the quality of the banner design this year & said he was open to suggestions on the elongated design for 1996.

Bill Ayres made comments about scheduling registration desk help during especially busy times; about getting the 1996 wooden nickels & souvenir sheet prepared & about on-site solicitation of dealers to reserve table spaces for future shows.

Out of nearly 9000 show fliers mailed, 709 were returned because of bad addresses; the MSNA mailing database is now up to nearly 7000 names. A breakdown of registrants by state was read.

A discussion of the money distribution to clubs was postponed until a later meeting.

President Turnes expressed desire that one person purchase the prizes and awards to be given away (such as for the educational forum, annual meeting, awards breakfast, speakers gifts, etc.)

Three auctioneers will be solicited to hold an auction at next year's show. M&M Travel was voted the travel agent for the 1996 ARCE,

A short discussion was held concerning the likelihood of MSNA and Maryland TAMS holding their own token & medal show at next year's expo.

The person winning the gold coin drawing, drawn from the returned show fliers, will receive a check for the difference between the actual cost of the gold coin awarded and it's quoted worth.

Board Meeting Minutes of 24 Aug 95 - continued

Greg Ruby said that Bob Ruby has prepared a breakdown of public attendance, based on publicity venue (how each person attending heard about the show).

Registration Chairman, Don Curtis, distributed copies of a list of A R C E helpers and asked if any additional names should be on the list. He received much commendation for his supervision of the show registration.,

Lois Richter remarked that dealer registration went as well as it could, noted that dealer's names are on hand so tags could be prepared in advance of the next ARCE and suggested that dealer registration be held in the convention center lobby next year as the show office was often overcrowded during dealer setup. Sylvan Richter said that his collaboration with Pete Burris on case and light provision worked well. It was decided that a "turkey night" not be held next year.

Greg Ruby said that the message center ran smoothly during the show, but he requested a riser for it, as was provided at last year's show.

Education Chairman, Bill Stratemeyer, commented briefly on the cost of the speaker's dinner but said that the forum and dinner both went very well. A pair of prospective speakers may be available for next year's ARCE. He noted that someone may need to assist Larry Gentile with the on-site organization & operation of next year's YN program.

Exhibits Chairman, Walt Kitner, commented on the many new exhibits this year, including the presence of two YN exhibitors. Greg Ruby said that he has some new names for Walt's exhibit list.

Breakfast Chairman, Jack Pryor, reported good comments about the awards breakfast & noted that breakfast tickets were given to YN pages.

Raffle Chairman, Ed Craig, reported expenses & sales pertaining to raffle tickets & remarked on the best profit on ticket sales ever achieved for a state convention. He also expressed hope that such sales could be duplicated for next year's ARCE. M S N A merchandise sales realized revenues of nearly \$125. Tickets for the 1996 ARCE are already available; it was recommended ticket sellers write their names on the tickets they sell.

Minutes - Board Meeting of 24 Aug 95 - continued

The next M S N A Board Meeting will be held September 28th, 1995, at 7:30 pm, the Grace United Methodist Church.

Respectfully Submitted

**Bryce F. Doxzon
Secretary**

**MARYLAND STATE NUMISMATIC
ASSOCIATION SEMINAR
FOR 1995**

The educational forum for 1995 will be held at the Victory Villa Community Center Sunday 15 October 1995, at 2:00 p.m. Door prizes, refreshments and a presentation by Russ Sears Russ, who collects everything collectable (and a few that aren't) will present us with "Elongated's". Not the more modern ones (of which he also has quite a collection) but of the older ones, those issued for special occasions and far fewer issued than those of today.

For anyone interest in obtaining some of Russ's extra material; he is going to open a show case at John's Antique Co-op, 1733 Eastern Avenue, in Baltimore. Russ's case will contain a wide selection of exnumia.

KENT COIN CLUB will hold it's annual show at the Blue Hen Co-op Center, Dover, Delaware, on Saturday, October 14th. The Mall is located just off Rt 113 in Dover. Bourse Chair for the show is our own Steve Taylor.



MELVIN H. WIDERMAN

Melvin H. Siderman: M.S.N.A. Charter Member #63: Life Member Number 10: died on Saturday 2 September 1995. Mel, who was President of the Baltimore Coin Club in 1972, was the Treasurer of MSNA for 1974 and 1975. He was a retired banker and prior to that was one of the owners of the Rosenthal Department Store at Saratoga and Lexington Streets, Baltimore. A very active member of credit unions he served as president of the Maryland Credit Union League and also the Credit Union National Association. As one of the directors of the committee for downtown Baltimore, in the 1950's, he was instrumental in the block by block beautification campaign for towntown Baltimore. Mel remained active in his charitable endeavors until shortly before his death and never gave up on his collecting.



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The Annual meeting of the membership of the Maryland State Numismatic Association was held on Sunday, July 30, 1995, at 2:00 pm, in Room 306 of the Baltimore Convention Center. In attendance were:

Bill Ayres - President
Ernie Turnes - Vice Pres
Bryce Doxzon - Secretary
Joe Mashinski - Act. Treas
Pete Buris - Past President
Bob Ruby - Computer Tech
Bill Lenz - ARCE Gen Chair

Greg Ruby - ARCE Commel
Tom Palmer - ARCE Bourse
Don Curtis - ARCE Regis.
Ed Craig - ARCE Raffle
Walt Kitner - ARCE Exhib
Bill Swager - Guest

Secretary Doxzon read a summary of MSNA/ARCE business over the period since the last convention.

Brief reports were given by various committee chairmen about individual functions of the show. Walt Kitner remarked about several new exhibits that were shown this year. Ed Craig reported high revenues from raffle ticket sales with a large profit expected this year. Greg Ruby reported that the message center was well staffed. Pete Burris remarked that case and light provision, during the dealer set-up, ran well. Breakfast arrangements were very good with no snags. Bob Ruby reported 620 returned fliers (due to bad addresses) out of nearly 9000 mailed.

Bill Stratemeyer remarked on the excellent speakers (David Ganz & Jules Reiver) at the educational forum and reported several good comments made to him about the forum and the speaker's dinner. Of the latter he noted that the Holiday Inn was very accomodating in it's arrangements.

Tom Palmer reported 123 organizations and dealers to be bourse space takers and extended thanks to those who helped him sell tables. He remarked that some dealers did not attend the show due to the murder of dealer Bob Rose, but that he received very many positive dealer comments. Thirteen contracts for 1996 were already in hand.

Meeting of 30 July - Continued.

Don Curtis reported approximately 2000 registrations and said that some desk supplies were running out on the last day of the show. He also reported very good desk help from the member clubs.

Dealer registration was reported as working very smoothly. Gail Kraljevich has already volunteered to help at next year's ARCE.

Bill Lenz remarked that he couldn't find anything to say that was negative about this year's ARCE and he had much praise for the many committees that worked on the show. About the 1996 ARCE Bill remarked that we will not be sharing the Pratt Street Lobby with the Amway convention set for the same weekend. He also noted that John Highfill's show could be a factor in attracting dealers to next year's show. He also announced that the ANA has given the MSNA a life membership.

In two motions Bill Lenz proposed that the JOHN B. HENRY Club Award (for percent of members holding M S N A membership) be retired & then re-established as the JOHN B. HENRY MEMORIAL BEST IN SHOW Exhibit Award. Both motions were seconded and approved.

Mr. Bill Swager, of Michigan, read a resolution urging the boycott of further U.S. Commemorative coin purchases until the Congress passes a coin program honoring the bicentennial of the U.S. Mint and passes legislation reforming the U.S. Commemorative medal and coin issues. A motion to adopt the resolution was seconded and approved.

The board approved Tom Palmer as MSNA's nominee for MANA's Alex Kaptik Numismatist of the Year Award.

Bill Lenz made a motion that MSNA purchase it's own photo I.D. equipment, if money becomes available. Motion was seconded and approved.

The board approved an expenditure of, up to, \$300.00 toward the purchase of a new computer monitor to replace one which Bob Ruby had been using.

Meeting of 30 July 1995 continued:

The nominating committee chairman, Pete Burris, announced the slate of MSNA officers for 1995-1996: Ernie Turnes-President; Bill Stratemeyer - Vice President; Joe Mashinski - Treasurer; and Bryce Doxzon - Secretary. The slate, as read, had been unanimously approved by the membership. Ernie made a few remarks before closing the meeting.

Door prizes were won by Don Curtis and Bill Swager.

The next M S N A board meeting was set for Thursday, August 24th, 1995, at 7:30 pm, at the Grace United Methodist Church.

Respectfully Submitted

Bryce F. Doxzon
Secretary



OUR MEMBER CLUBS REPORT

HARFORD COIN HUSKERS also held their annual picnic. Crabs, corn on the cob, badminton, horse shoes and a lot of conversation made a most enjoyable day. Even though it was held outside bees and flies were not too plentiful.

CATONSVILLE COIN CLUB's Andy Bulleri told the membership of his trip to the west coast to watch his son compete in the national gymnastics finals in California. John Hammond became a grandfather on July 7 when Josie Lee arrived: Congrats John. Bryce Doxzon is currently in the process of preparing an exhibit for the Methodist Bicentennial. He is looking for medals which were produced to commemorate this 1984 happening.

WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB held their annual "indoor" picnic on August 8th, at the South Cumberland Library. There's an idea for you: no bees, flies, no rain and plenty of reading material.

Russ Sears reported in the Maryland TAMS Journal that there is now an admission charge of \$4.00 per adult to get into the Baltimore Street Car Museum. You then get a token which you can use to ride the streetcars.

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB's election of officers took place at their 2 March meeting. Ernie Turnes was elected president: Don Curtis - Vice President: Joe Mashinski - Treasurer and Tom Palmer - Secretary. Leaving office were: Bill Stratmeyer - Past President and Al Strati who was treasurer for the last two years.

MIDDLE RIVER COIN CLUB's members took their turns at supporting the Rec Councils carnival. Members of the club furnished the manpower to man the booths for the carnival: an interesting experience. What we will do to support the hobby.

FUTURE YEARS

INTERSTATE COIN CLUB

1-2 Mar 97	6-7 Sep 97
F28-1 Mar 98	4-6 Sep 98
6-7 Mar 99	4-5 Sep 99

ASSOCIATED COIN CLUBS

9 Mar 97	26 Oct 97
8 Mar 98	25 Oct 98
13 Mar 99	24 Oct 99

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Holiday Inn

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THANK YOU

THANKS to each and everyone of you who took your time to make sure we had a successful show; and we did do that. It was a great show and the entire collecting field knows it. That would not have happened without each and everyone of you. Whether you worked for an afternoon or were there every day and every evening, you were needed; you were important and you were there. We made a list of names who worked and were very careful to check it over and over to assure that no one was missed. I know that some of the names were not spelled correctly and we may even find that some one was missed (though I don't know how that could have happened. Anyway I think it is important that everyone in the hobby know who you were. If I have an incorrect spelling of your name or if I omit it, let me know; I'd sooner make a correction than wait to put this list out. Here you are: the people who made the 1995 Atlantic Rarities Coin Exposition of the Maryland State Numismatic Association an outstanding success.

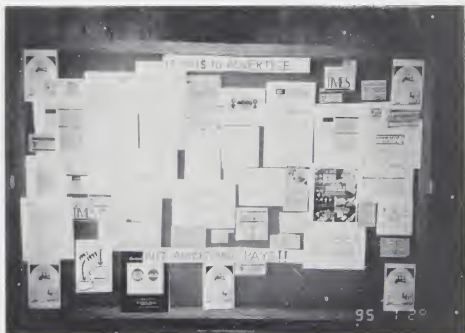
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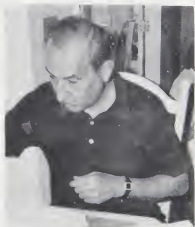
IT COSTS TO ADVERTISE: BUT ADVERTISING PAYS: At the top is our banner across Eutaw Street. Below is the bulletin board on which were displayed most of the advertising which appeared in some of the many publications.





On Saturday, 1 July 1995, a group of us met at the home of Bill and Carolyn Lenz and spent the better part of the day preparing our flyers for mailing. At the top are Bill and Carolyn: at the bottom is a group shot of some of the hard working attendees.







Those working 1 July were: Upper Left: Bill & Carolyn's grandson Douglas: Upper Right: Bill Ayres: Lower left - Bruce Doxzon Lower right: Bill's son Robert Lenz. On the opposite page are: top left - Pete Burris and Ginny: Top right - Joe Mishinski: Center left - Bob Ruby: Center right Jack Pryor: Lower left - Greg Ruby and lower right - Bill Stratemeyer.





TO THE LEFT: shown in the top two pictures are a few of the many people who gave up their time to man the door during the convention. At the bottom Tom Palmer and Sylvan Richter compare and screen the dealer's lists. Above: top: some of those working the photo ID: Center: part of the crew working the club tables and bottom: a group meets to close out some of the show details.



ABOVE: at the top, are some of the attendees at the annual speakers dinner. Below is a view of the stadium, from the Holiday Inn dining room, which was where the dinner was held.

TO THE RIGHT: top left - Jules Reiver and top right - Dave Ganz address the attendees at the MSNA educational forum. At center Dave presents a triangular plaque to Bill Lenz for his efforts on behalf of the hobby.

At LOWER RIGHT Bill Stratemever presents a plaque of appreciation from the MSNA to Dave.





1970-1975 Chairman, Walt Kitner w/ Gail Kraljevic: "Best of Show"
 below: Jerry Kochel: "People's Choice"





EXHIBITS Chairman, Walt Kitner w/Greg Ruby: "Master Award"

Below: w/Millard Hajek: "Superior Award"



MARYLAND STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION
Atlantic Rare Coins Exposition

EXHIBITORS

PEOPLES CHOICE AWARD

Gerald L. Koche1 - They Shot the President

BEST OF SHOW AWARD

Gail Kralievich - The Art of Ron Landis on Issues of the Gallery Mint

MASTER AWARD

Greg Ruby - Series 692 Military Payment Certificates

SUPERIOR AWARD

Millard W. Hajek - Eaton & Burnett Business College Tokens

APPRECIATION AWARDS

Herbert H. Espy - Pocket Money of an International Multimillionaire

John R. Eshback - The Life & Works of Charles T. Steigerwalt, Numismatist

Simcha Kuritsky - The Jewish Lion

Bryce Doxzon - A Selection of Madisonumia - Exonumia of James Madison

Bobbie Vaughan - Coin Issues of Hawaii

Larry Gentile, Sr., - A Coin From the Bible

YOUNG NUMISMATISTS AWARDS

MASTER AWARD

Oscar Yuan - A Selection of Laos Paper Money

SUPERIOR AWARD

Jeffery Kirley - My Collection of Indian Head Cents

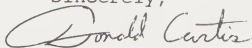
I would like to thank all the individuals who helped set-up, and man the registration desk at this years Atlantic Rarities Coin Exposition (ARCE)/Maryland State Numismatic Association Convention, 28-30 July 1995. There is not enough space to list all of you by name, but I would like to list the Numismatic Organizations and clubs that were represented:

American Numismatic Association
APL Coin Club
Baltimore Coin Club
Baltimore Area Numismatic Coalition
Belmar Coin Club
Bowie Coin Club
Carol County Coin Club
Catonsville Coin Club
Colonial Coin Club
Harford Coin Huskers
Maryland TAMS
Mid Atlantic Numismatic Assoc.
Middle River Coin Club
Perry Hall Coin Club
South Glen Burnie Coin Club

We registered 1900 people (not counting dealers, there family members and committee members) over the three day show. We also gave away 24 instant door prizes, and I would like to extend special thanks to Glen Burger, for donating a number of error coins as door prizes. The lucky winner, who's name was selected from the flyers turned in at registration, was Erin Messer from York, PA., She won a BU 1945 Mexican gold 2 Peso coin.

I again want to thank all of you that helped out. It was a pleasure meeting and working with so many dedicated and cooperative individuals. I hope to see you all again at next years show, scheduled for 14-16 June 1996.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Donald Curtis".

Donald Curtis
1995 Registration Chairman
Atlantic Rarities Coin Exposition





ABOVE: Bill Ayres presents Bill Lenz with a plaque of appreciation for a job well done.

BELOW: Jack Prvor presents Ruthann an appreciation plaque for her assistance.

AT LEFT: the tables of participants at the annual awards breakfast. The table place mats were supplied by Mr. Covne of Ocean City.



A PROCLAMATION

to bring about good stewardship, responsible government and justice to America's coin collectors and their science.

WHEREAS, this society was founded to promote the science of numismatics; and

WHEREAS, we recognize that it is in the best interest of the People of the United States, that this nation have and maintain a viable commemorative coin program; and

WHEREAS, this program has benefited all the people of the United States, national monuments, shrines, several states, counties, municipalities, events and organizations, with the money which America's coin collectors have provided through their generous support of this program; and

WHEREAS, America's coin collectors are the constituency of this program's marketplace and have paid for its success for more than a century; and

WHEREAS, the continued success of this program is solely dependent upon the generosity and support of America's coin collectors; and

WHEREAS, the viability of this nation's commemorative coin program is dependent upon the government's ability to understand and act in accord with the desires of America's coin collectors; and

WHEREAS, America's coin collectors desire that this nation's commemorative coins should, in a timely manner, preserve and perpetuate the memory of its discovery and founding and those who brought this about, reflect its highest ideals and honor those who defined them and those who struggled for their preservation and advancement, honor its prominent citizens and those who have rendered great service to this country, and preserve the memory of the great achievements that shaped its history; and

WHEREAS, Congress has become impotent in its ability to legislate these kinds of meaningful issues; and

WHEREAS, the desires of America's coin collectors have been cast aside or ignored in favor of those of select and influential special interest groups; and

WHEREAS, this has deeply disturbed and antagonized that constituency, eroding its support for the commemorative coin program; and

WHEREAS, the Congress of the United States has shown contempt for America's coin collectors and their science by denying them access to that program; and

Whereas, the Congress of the United States has shown by its inaction that it deems that:

- (1) the bicentennial of the establishment of the United States mint and the commencement of our national coinage is not of enough importance to be remembered on our nation's commemorative coins; and
- (2) America's coin collectors are not a worthy enough group; nor are their activities or the advancement of their science of enough importance that they should be allowed now to have coins of this nation struck to commemorate the very genesis of that which they collect; and
- (3) the collections and studies of the National Numismatic Collections, the Museum of American History, Smithsonian Institution are not of enough importance to deem them to be worthy of benefit through America's commemorative coin program; and

Whereas, the requests and pleading from America's coin collectors have fallen on the deaf ears of their government; and

Whereas, to do otherwise can only further encourage powerful special interest groups favorable with congressmen to impose their influence on Congress for their own, often less important commemorative coin issues, adding to the debasement, degradation, deterioration and decline of our nation's commemorative coin program; and

WHEREAS, we feel that Congress should now act to correct this situation, the

hereby urges
all its members and its affiliate clubs to boycott
America's National Commemorative Coin Program until such time as this government begins to address the grievances which collectors have expressed with that program and Congress takes necessary steps to begin to heal the rift that now exists between coin collectors and the legislators and administrators of this program, in order to promote the welfare and preserve the integrity of that program.

We further urge our sister clubs and organizations throughout this land to join us in this effort in order to bring about a climate more favorable to the success of our nation's commemorative coin program and the advancement of our hobby and its science.

approved by Board action: 30 July 1995
(date)

signed: William R. Ayers Jr



The President's gavel is passed from
Bill Ayres to Ernie Turnes

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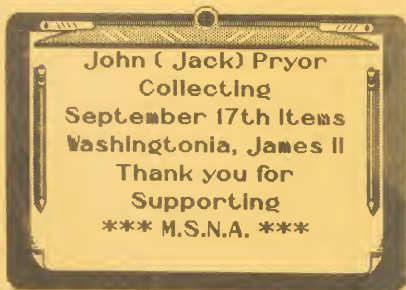
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



You often hear people in our hobby warn against telling others that we collect but some good things can happen when you break that rule.

I was at a trial in Baltimore, right before the December Washington - Baltimore Coin Show. I mentioned, in the jury room, that I would be coming back into town for the show and another juror asked me if I collect. When I said yes several people started telling stories about the coins they have and how they came to acquire them. It was another example that, in some fashion, just about everyone is a coin collector.

The next day, one of the jurors brought in several jars of coins and asked me to take a look at them. I have them now and am enjoying seeing what she has. The lot includes an 1803 cent; a Western Maryland Dairy encased cent; a love token; a bust half; a hobo nickel (original?): a Carson City dollar; several foreign coins and more. I'll let you speculate as to rarity and condition.

This lady won't become a collector but some nice pieces will probably wind up in someone's collection.

Don't always be so secretive about our hobby; when you let others know that you collect it may rekindle an interest or help get some pieces into new hands.

I hope the Holiday season has been a great one for you and your family.

Ernie Turnes



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Dedicated to attaining knowledge and fulfillment in Numismatics

The board of the Maryland State Numismatic Association met on Thursday, September 28, 1995 at 7:30 pm, at the Grace United Methodist Church. In attendance were:

Ernie Turnes - President	Bill Lenz -Harford Coin C1
Bill Stratemeyer - V Pr	Greg Ruby - Catonsville CC
Bryce Doxzon - Secretary	Ed Craig - Maryland TAMS
Joe Mashinski- Treasurer	Walt Kitner - Baltimore CC
Bill Ayres - Past Pres	Pete Burris - Director

Secretary Doxzon read the minutes of the August 24th meeting.

President Turnes read letters from A N A Executive Director Robert Leuver concerning ANA support for the Atlantic Rare Coin Expo and about the consideration of Baltimore as a site for the 2003 ANA Convention.

Russ Sears will speak on elongated coins at the MSNA Fall Seminar on October 15, 1995. Ernie Turnes will arrange for refreshments.

Treasurer Mashinski distributed copies of the ARCE finance report showing a very good profit on the show. The Board approved \$100 donations to Children's Hospital and to the Baltimore Association for Retarded Citizens and a \$1000. donation to the American Numismatic Association. The money distribution to clubs was as follows: \$200.00 each to clubs providing more than one convention worker; \$50 each to clubs providing only one worker; payment of MSNA dues for clubs not providing any workers.

MSNA may file a complaint with the ANA about UNIVOX's non-payment of bourse fee for a contracted show table.

MINUTES OF 28 SEP 95 - Continued

Bill Lenz read the details of hotel lodging contracts for the 1996 ARCE with the Sheraton and Days Inn Hotels. The Board approved the contracts with both hotels.

For the token and medal show it was proposed that Paul Cunningham have a minimum table sign-up for his part of the A R C E bourse with an incentive of lower table fees for dealer sign-ups above the minimum. Greg Ruby submitted a proposal from the Maryland TAMS to run the token and medal show if Paul Cunningham decides not to have his show at ARCE. A prompt reply from Cunningham is to be requested regarding his participation.

A brief discussion on the details and cost of photo I. D. equipment for purchase by MSNA was held. A proposal was made to eliminate door prizes at ARCE but no further action was taken. No replies have yet been received from auctioneers solicited to participate in the 1996 ARCE.

M S N A has received word of being awarded life membership in the ANA but is awaiting the certificate of this.

Bill Stratemeyer will invite ANA Governor, J.T. Stanton and ANA President, Ken Bressett to speak at the 1996 ARCE.

Each A R C E committee chairman was asked to develop a budget proposal for the 1996 ARCE.

The next board meeting was set for Thursday, November 30th, 1995 at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully Submitted

Bryce Doxzon
Secretary

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

19-21 Jan: Wilmington Coin Club, Brandywine Terrace, 3416 Philadelphia Pike, Claymont, Delaware (Intersection of US Rt 13 and Business 13, 1 mile south of U.S. 13 exit from I 495)

-11 Feb: SALISBURY COIN CLUB, Wicomico Civic Center Civic & Glen Aves, Salisbury

Feb: BANC

- 3 Mar: ASSOCIATED COIN CLUB's Spring Show, Victory Villa Community Center, Middle River

9-10 Mar: INTERSTATE COIN CLUB Spring Show, Venice Ballroom, US ROUTE 40, East of Hagerstown

21-24 Mar: Suburban Wash/ Baltimore Coin and Currency Show, Convention Center,

13 Apr: COLONIAL COIN CL Riva Volunteer Fire Station, 3123 Riva Rd, Riva, MD

20-21 Apr: WESTERN MARYLAND Fire Hall, Route 40, West of COIN CLUB SPRING SHOW, LaVale Cumberland,

May: BANC

14-16 Jun: ATLANTIC RARITIES COIN EXPOSITION: The Annual Convention and Show of the MARYLAND STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION: The Convention Center, Charles and Pratt St Baltimore.

- Aug: BANC

Aug 31-1 Sep: Fall Show of INTERSTATE COIN CLUB, Venice Ballroom, U S Route 40, East of Hagerstown

27 Oct: Fall show of the ASSOCIATED COIN CLUBS, at the Victory Villa Community Center, Martin Blvd & Compass Road, Middle River

Nov: BANC

9-10 Nov: WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB fall show, LaVale Fire Hall, Route 40, West of Cumberland

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Jan 14	Feb 18	Mar 17
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13-15 Jun 97	15-17 May 98
18-20 Jun 99	

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9 Mar 97	26 Oct 97
8 Mar 98	25 Oct 98
13 Mar 99	24 Oct 99

MSNA SEMINARS

3 Nov 96	2 Nov 97
1 Nov 98	

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF MSNA



On 28 September the officers and members shown to left met to further the needs of the MSNA. From left to right:

TOP: Bill Stratemeyer
Joe Mashinski
Greg Ruby



SECOND ROW:
Bryce Doxzon
Bill Lenz
Ernie Turnes



THIRD ROW:
Pete Burris
Ed Craig



BOTTOM ROW:
Bill Ayres
Bob Ruby

BALTIMORE COIN CLUBS' s 1995



JOINT CLUB CELEBRATION



On 5 October the Baltimore Coin Club hosted their annual Joint Club Luncheon.

UPPER LEFT:
Millard Hajek
addresses the group.

LEFT CENTER:
Members of the Hanover
Numismatic Society

LEFT BOTTOM:
Officers of the
Baltimore Coin
Club with wives.

TOP RIGHT:
Some members of the
Colonial Coin Club.

CENTER RIGHT:
Don Curtis presents
Millard with a
token of appreciation



BOTTOM RIGHT: Ernie presents Clarence Schmit a check for work done at the ARCE by members of the Colonial Coin Club.

SOME COMMENTS FROM OUR MEMBERSHIP:

BANC, the club association of the Baltimore Coin Club, Catonsville Coin Club and Maryland Token and Medal Society, seems to have encountered a location problem. They have been informed that the fire department plans to discontinue the rental of their hall as of the end of 1995. Greg is looking for a new location.

We are advised that the ANA has changed their minds and will again sanction our convention in 1996.

October 15th was a busy day. The Associated Coin Club's annual fall show was held and in conjunction with it were the meetings of the MD TAMS and the fall seminar of the MSNA. All three events took place at the Victory Villa Community Center in Middle River, the home of the the Middle River Coin Club.

Herb Espy, who has attended many of our functions, as a speaker on several occasions, died on October 16th.

The current officers of the Maryland TAMS are:

Greg Ruby - President
Ed Craig - Vice President
Jim Boswell - Secretary
Bob Ruby - Treasurer

Some of the events which have happened recently:
Catonsville Coin Club's annual dinner meeting
which was held at Snyders in November.
Md TAMS swap meet held at the Grace United
Methodist Church in September.
Baltimore Coin Club's joint club meeting; see
article for more on this one.

Events to happen:

The annual Christmas party of the Associated
Coin Clubs
The annual winter luncheon of the Baltimor

There is a new book available on obsolete currency
of Virginia. See flier. This information
comes to us from the VNA.
Coin Club



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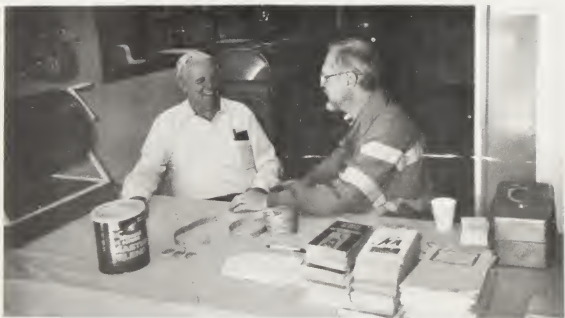
Russ Sears
addresses the
attendees at
the MSNA fall
seminar on
early elongateds.



Ernie presents
Russ with a
book on
Baltimore



Ernie presents
Greg Ruby a
check for the
work MD TAMS
members put
forth at MSNA's
ARCE. (You
should have
seen the other
picture when
Greg thanked
Ernie.)



Pete Burris and Fred Waire man the door at the
Associated Coin Clubs's Show.



Bob Lasseth was forced to leave the office of treasurer of the Perry Hall Coin Club due to other commitments. Al Mills stepped forward and filled the position.

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